

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Kent Jardemark et al.

Application No.: 10/688,794

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For: NANOELECTRODES AND NANOTIPS FOR
RECORDING TRANSMEMBRANE
CURRENTS IN A PLURALITY OF CELLS

Examiner: Rosanne Kosson

AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicants submit this paper in response to the final Office Action mailed February 9, 2011 in the above-referenced patent application concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination, a Request for a three-month Extension of Time, and the requisite fees. Applicants believe that no other fees are required for consideration and entry of this paper. Nevertheless, Applicants hereby authorize the Director to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under order no. 58073(47137). Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.